

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| In Re Application |) | |
| No. 10/780,824 |) | For: COMBINING GRANT, |
| |) | ACKNOWLEDGMENT, AND |
| |) | RATE CONTROL COMMANDS |
| Tiedemann, et al. |) | |
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| Examiner: S. Rizk |) | |
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| Filed: February 17, 2004 |) | Group No. 2133 |

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action dated December 26, 2007 please amend the above-identified application as indicated below. Applicant hereby petitions a three (3) month Extension of Time.